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Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 136(a), Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for an extension of time into the second month after the response due date, i.e., until <u>October 5, 2004</u>, for responding to the Office Action mailed <u>May 5, 2004</u>.

A check for the appropriate fee set by 37 CFR §1.17 of <u>\$420.00</u> is attached hereto for this Petition.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any Petition for Extension of Time fee for underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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